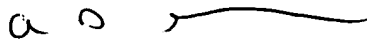


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TITLE OF INVENTION FOAM DISINFECTANT		
APPLICATION(S) FOR DO/EO/US BIERING ET AL.		
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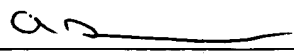
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